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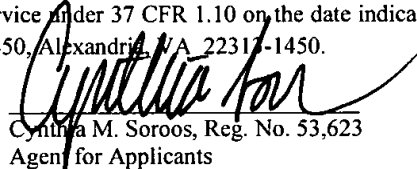
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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

Dear Sir:

This is in response to the Final Office Action mailed from the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on May 28, 2003 (Paper No. 9). A request for an appropriate extension of time and the requisite fee are filed concurrently herewith. Please amend the application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 4 of this paper.